

**Table 15.—Total enrollment in public 4-year degree-granting institutions, by sex and attendance status, with alternative projections: Fall 1987 to fall 2012**

(In thousands)

Year	Total	Men		Women	
		Full-time	Part-time	Full-time	Part-time
1987	5,432	1,882	723	1,854	973
1988	5,546	1,910	722	1,932	982
1989	5,694	1,938	743	1,997	1,017
1990	5,848	1,982	764	2,051	1,050
1991	5,905	2,006	765	2,083	1,051
1992	5,900	2,005	760	2,090	1,045
1993	5,852	1,989	750	2,085	1,027
1994	5,825	1,966	738	2,100	1,022
1995	5,815	1,951	720	2,134	1,009
1996	5,806	1,943	703	2,163	997
1997	5,835	1,951	687	2,214	984
1998	5,892	1,959	685	2,260	988
1999	5,970	1,984	686	2,309	991
2000	6,055	2,009	683	2,363	1,001
<b>Middle alternative projections</b>					
2001	6,206	2,086	695	2,389	1,036
2002	6,287	2,105	699	2,438	1,045
2003	6,347	2,115	707	2,466	1,060
2004	6,426	2,131	714	2,508	1,073
2005	6,509	2,155	719	2,550	1,085
2006	6,592	2,181	723	2,595	1,093
2007	6,672	2,208	727	2,637	1,100
2008	6,773	2,242	732	2,691	1,108
2009	6,878	2,277	737	2,748	1,117
2010	6,972	2,303	744	2,797	1,128
2011	7,078	2,333	752	2,850	1,143
2012	7,192	2,363	762	2,906	1,161
<b>Low alternative projections</b>					
2001	6,144	2,065	688	2,365	1,026
2002	6,230	2,086	693	2,416	1,036
2003	6,290	2,096	701	2,444	1,050
2004	6,355	2,108	706	2,480	1,061
2005	6,366	2,108	703	2,494	1,061
2006	6,394	2,116	701	2,517	1,060
2007	6,472	2,142	705	2,558	1,067
2008	6,570	2,175	710	2,610	1,075
2009	6,672	2,209	715	2,666	1,083
2010	6,763	2,234	722	2,713	1,094
2011	6,866	2,263	729	2,765	1,109
2012	6,976	2,292	739	2,819	1,126
<b>High alternative projections</b>					
2001	6,268	2,107	702	2,413	1,046
2002	6,344	2,124	705	2,460	1,054
2003	6,404	2,134	713	2,488	1,070
2004	6,497	2,154	722	2,536	1,085
2005	6,652	2,202	735	2,606	1,109
2006	6,790	2,246	745	2,673	1,126
2007	6,872	2,274	749	2,716	1,133
2008	6,976	2,309	754	2,772	1,141
2009	7,084	2,345	759	2,830	1,151
2010	7,181	2,372	766	2,881	1,162
2011	7,290	2,403	775	2,936	1,177
2012	7,408	2,434	785	2,993	1,196

NOTE: Some data have been revised from previously published figures. Data for 1999 were imputed using alternative procedures.

(For more details, see appendix E of *Projections of Education Statistics to 2011*.) Detail may not sum to totals due to rounding.

Mean absolute percentage errors of selected education statistics can be found in table A2.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, "Fall Enrollment in Colleges and Universities" surveys; Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System (IPEDS) surveys; and Enrollment in Degree-Granting Institutions Model. (This table was prepared May 2002.)